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SENATE

COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 296

Submitted by the Committee on Education, Arts and Culture (Sub-Committee on Basic and Higher Education and Culture) on FEB 07 2007.

Re: **House Bill No. 5332**

Recommending its approval without amendment taking into consideration Senate Bill No. 2443 .

Sponsor: **Senator Recto**

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Education, Arts and Culture to which was referred **House Bill No. 5332**, introduced by **Representatives Reyes, et al** entitled:


**"AN ACT
AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9045, WHICH CREATES
THE BATANGAS STATE UNIVERSITY (BSU) BY EXCLUDING
FROM ITS COVERAGE THE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY
OF THE PHILIPPINES (PUP) CAMPUS IN STO. TOMAS,
BATANGAS"**

taking into consideration **Senate Bill No. 2443**, introduced by **Senator Recto**, entitled:

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has considered the same and has the honor to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that **House Bill No. 5332** be approved without amendment.

Respectfully submitted:


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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5332

BY REPRESENTATIVES REYES (V.), VILLAR, ABAYON, SALCEDA AND GOZOS,
PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1596

AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9045, WHICH CREATES
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THE PHILIPPINES (PUP) CAMPUS IN STO. TOMAS, BATANGAS

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in
Congress assembled:*

1 SECTION 1. Section 1 of Republic Act No. 9045 is hereby amended to
2 read as follows:

3 “SECTION 1. The Pablo Borbon Memorial Institute of
4 Technology in the City of Batangas, including its branches in
5 Barangay Alangilan of the same City and those in the
6 municipalities of Balayan, Bauan, Lobo, San Pascual, Rosario,
7 Taysan, Padre Garcia, Lemery, Calaca, Taal, Tanauan, San Juan
8 and Lipa City, the Jose P. Laurel Polytechnic College in Malvar,

1 the Apolinario R. Apacible School of Fisheries in Nasugbu, [the
2 Campus of the Polytechnic University of the Philippines in Sto.
3 Tomas,] are hereby integrated into a state university to be known
4 as the Batangas State University, hereinafter referred to as the
5 University. The main campus of the University in the City of
6 Batangas shall be named as the Pablo Borbon Campus.”

7 SEC. 2. Section 16 of Republic Act No. 9045 is hereby amended to
8 read as follows:

9 “SEC. 16. All assets, fixed and movable, personnel and
10 records of the Pablo Borbon Memorial Institute of Technology
11 and its branches in Barangay Alangilan, Batangas City, the
12 municipalities of Balayan, Bauan, Lobo, San Pascual, Rosario,
13 Taysan, Padre Garcia, Lemery, Calaca, Taal, Tanauan and San
14 Juan and the City of Lipa, the Jose P. Laurel Polytechnic College
15 in Malvar, the Apolinario R. Apacible School of Fisheries in
16 Nasugbu, [and the Polytechnic University of the Philippines
17 Campus in Sto. Tomas,] all in the Province of Batangas, as well
18 as liabilities or obligations, [as] ARE hereby transferred to the
19 University: *Provided, however,* That the positions, rights and
20 security of tenure [or] OF personnel employed therein under

1 existing laws prior to the absorption by the University are not
2 impaired: *Provided, further,* That the incumbents of existing
3 positions shall remain in the same status until otherwise provided
4 by the Board. All parcels of land belonging to the government
5 and occupied by THE Pablo Borbon Memorial Institute of
6 Technology, the Jose P. Laurel Polytechnic College in Malvar,
7 the Apolinario R. Apacible School of Fisheries in Nasugbu, [and
8 the Polytechnic University of the Philippines Campus in Sto.
9 Tomas,] are hereby declared to be the property of the Batangas
10 State University and shall be titled under that name: *Provided,*
11 *finally,* That should the University cease to exist or be abolished
12 or should such parcels of land aforementioned be no longer
13 needed by the University, the same shall revert to the provinces,
14 municipalities or cities where they are located.”

15 SEC. 3. Section 21 of Republic Act No. 9045 is hereby amended to
16 read as follows:

17 “SEC. 21. The amount necessary to carry out the provisions
18 of this Act shall be charged against the current year’s
19 appropriations of the Pablo Borbon Memorial Institute of
20 Technology, THE Jose P. Laurel Polytechnic College[,] AND

1 orders and issuances or part thereof contrary to or inconsistent with the
2 provisions of this Act are hereby repealed, modified or amended accordingly.

3 SEC. 6. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication
4 in two newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,

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